

Athletic relay along Sadovoye Ringroad in Moscow.

Sporting season opens in Moscow

in a long-standing tradition, Moscow sportsmen competed, on May 2, in the parks, swimming pools, stadiums, aquatic sport centres, and in relay races in many districts at the start of

the aummer sports season in the Soviet capital.

The highlight was a relay race along the Sadovoye Ringroad for the prize offered by the "Vachernyaya Moskva" newspa-

ictico, 2—1, in the closing round, totalling 47 points from 34 games, two points clear of Barcelona. Madrid Resi placed

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Photo by Gennady Dubeikovsky.

per, a 55th such event to date.
The Central Army Club captured the top award, their
such trophy yet, Trudoviye
Rezervy came second, their first over such achievement, and 21time competition winners Dynano wound up third.

Ararat edged Kuban, 2--1, at home to capture the lead in the national football championship,

with 11 points from eight meets. Pakhtaker is level with them, having drawn, 0—0, with Kutaisi Torpedo, but have a win less.

(August Bergrotty 24 Progratily);

Kairat is in third place.

FOOTBALL NEWS

Brazii Maniengo, International Cup holders, clinched this year's national title by beating defending champions, Gremio, 1—0, in an extra third game held at Porto-Alegri. The first two games were drawn, 1—1 and 0—0.

Spain's Real Sociedad won the national title, edging Bilbac AtZagreb Dynamo have wrapped up the Yugoslav championship with two rounds yet to go.

third with 44 points.



BOXING

ing up for the May 4-15 3rd World Championship has the only survivor from the 1978 Belgrade championship, Olympic winner, Shamil Sebitov from Krasnodar (48 kg). Still many of the newcomers are celebriies in their own right, among them European winners Viktor Miroshnichenko from Donetsk (54 kg), Vasily Shishov from Kuibyshev (63.5 kg), Serik Ko-nakbayev from Alma-Ata (67 kg), Muscovite Alexander Koshkin (71 kg), Yuri Torbek from Gomel (75 kg), and Alexander Yagubkin from Donetsk (91 kg).

We would like to do no worse in Munich than at the 2nd World Championship, said Soviet coach Artyom Lavrov, Pour years ago

our boxers totted up three gold, one silver and two bronze me-

dals, he stressed. Unlike the Olympic boxing tournaments going back to 1904, the history of world championships is a short one. The USSR Boxing Federation, which initiated such tournaments in 1972. also worked out a format for

Cuba won the first champion-ship in 1974 in Havana and made a repeat performance in the next one; it is also favoured to win the upcoming one along with the USSR, the USA, Bulgaria, Yugoslavia, the GDR, the FRG, and Romania. There will also be strong contenders from Africa and Asia. Altogether around 40 nations are expected



ON A MOTORCYCLE FROM THE SKY

More and more record-seekers are altracted by the exciting and dangerous idea of motorized descent from high altitudes. 40-year-old American Jim Da-vis decided on a combined des-

cent using a plane, a motorcycle and a parachute.

As the site for his feat he chose the Mohawe Desert. Jim went on board a plane with his motorcycle, and, when the plane got to a height of 2,500 metres, he started the motor, dashed off at a speed of 40 kps and then

KARPOV AND

World champion Anatoly Kar-pov and Swedish Grandmaster Ulf Andersson came out on top

at a big international chess tournament in London with 8.5

points from 13 games each. Seyrawan, USA, came third

Soviet entrants acquitted them-selves creditably in the Hyeres

selves creditably in the Hyeres annual sailing regatta in France, winning three classes. Tornado helmsman Viktor Potapov, twice world champion and Olympic prize winner, the most illustrious member of the Soviet team, did particularly well winning a special award for the absolutely best performance, amassing only 13

Kenya-based British driver

Shekhar Mehta has won his fifth annual East African Safari Rally. He was the first to finish in Natrobl, together with his co-driver Michael Dauth, covering a difficult youth over 5 000 kilometres.

cult route, over 5,000 kilometres long, divided into three stages. The rally set out from Nairobi on April 8.

Of the field of 72 cars domi-nated by 48 Japanese Datsuns, Toyotas, and Daihatsus, only 21

cams to the finish, among them a Soviet Lada-1600, which suc-cessfully withstood the heat,

SAILING -

ANDERSSON SHARE TITLE

SAFARI MOTOR RALLY:

LADA AMONG THE BEST

with eight points, followed by Portisch, Timman, Speelman and

Ljubojevic - seven each, Spar-

sky and Miles-6.5, Geller - six,

Nunn-5.5, Mestel and Christian

penalty points. He was assisted by sailor Sargel Kuzovov, who was a newcomer to big-time sell-ing. Another Soviet Tomado

steered by Yakov Kliver came Sergel Borodinov's Flying Dutchman braved the whims of

nature to come home first with 17 penalty points from seven

water-filled holes and rough

rain of the Kenyan savanna it was driven by Austrians Rudoli Stoll and Reinhard Kaulmann.

Were there any problems with the engine and suspensions, a TASS correspondent asked Stoll, who replied: No, the car per-formed wonderfully, a fact pro-

ed by our arrival at the finishing

Did you use any repair team

as, say, the Japanese Datsum

did?-No, we made all repairs

ourselves, he stressed.

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On reaching the earth, he continued his journey on the motorcycle until it slopped the making another world record.
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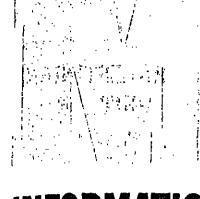


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May 9 thirty-seven years ago saw the end of a most excrucialing war, the Great Patriotic War waged by the Soviet people against fascism. The 1,418 days of it were filled with bitter fighting and untold suffering. Each Soviet city, house and family have their own way of celebrating V.Day, since the war left not a single Soviet family unscathed. On this day all Soviet people are united in the paramount concern for preserving peace on earth.

The May 9 eve is the time of annual get-togethers of war veterans.

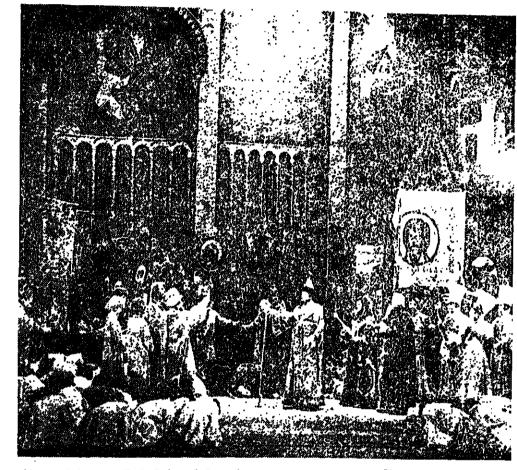
DANIEL **ORTEGA** IN USSR

Commandante of the Revolu tion, Daniel Orlega Saavedra, member of the national leadership of the Sandinista National Liberation Front, coordinator of the leading Council of the Government of National Reconstruction of the Republic of Nicaragua now in charge of a Nicaraguan state delegation on a visit to the USSR, and Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev expressed sausfaction, during the talks in Moscow, with the big progress made in relations between the two countries. They expressed their mutual desire to expand bilateral contacts for the benefit of both peoples.

Discussing the international situation, both sides expressed serious anxiety over mounting international tension and the bazardous situation in some parts of the world resulting from the US imperialist circles' desire to upset the balance of forces in the world, to gain military superiorlly, erode the positions of world socialism and strike at the gains made by the national li-

After the Moscow talks the Nicaraguan delegation set out on a tour of the Soviet country. They were accorded a cordial welcome in Leningrad and Tbi-





Muszorgsky's opera "Boris Godunov", first aci.

Photo by Georgi Solovyov

Drame theatres stage their hest plays, and new programmes have been prepared by the circuses in

and Art of their republic.

the Bolshot Theatre in Moscow.

The festival is part of the

USSR art festivities "Friendship

Among Peoples", dedicated to

the 60th anniversary since the

formation of the USSR. That is

why the multinational art of this

country is so broadly represented in the festival held this May.

The participants of the festival include the Azerbaijan, the Alan

(Northern Ossetla), the Lenck

(Polesye) dance and song ensem-

bles, a folklore ensemble from the Lithuania, the Vilnius String

Quartet, pop groups from Geor-gla, young performers from the

Baltic republics and musicians

and dincers from Vakulla who

have come to Muscow to take

part in the Days of Literature

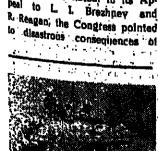
Apart from permanent exhibi-tions, displays have been mounted in the city giving a wide pagerama of the art of painters from the fraternal re-

The festival will come to en end on May 13 in the Central Concert Hall where a gala concert will be given by best per-

GRATITUDE TO THE SOVIET LEADER FOR SUPPORT

New York, It is with gratitude New York. It is with gratitude that the public organization, the International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War, met Leonid Brezhnev's reply to the Appeal from the Second Congress of this influential international organization to the heads of states of the USSR and the USSR and of the USSR and the USA, said Bernard Lown, a co-chairman of the Congress, addressing a press conference in Boston.

The Soviet leader has given a positive response to the Appeal, and his raply gives boost to our movement, he noted, In its Ap-Peal to L. I. Brezhney and R. Reagan, the Congress pointed lo disastrous consequences of



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nuclear war, stressing the neces-

sity to exclude the vary idea of using nuclear weapons in any

form and on any scale, and to

seek an eventual elimination of

nuclear weapons.

Those who took part in the press conference particularly stressed that the Soviet leader has resolutely rejected the idea that nuclear war could be limited.

It was noted with regret at the press conference that so far, the organization had received no

response to their Appeal.

reply from president Roagan in

the box sould be a share to

FACTS and EVENTS

closed plans to carry out lests of the A-Sat satelitte killer missiles this year. The missile will be leunched from an F-15 fighter to hit an AVCO spacecraft as a target:

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THEY MADE IT!

Six climbers from the Soviet first. Everest expedition have made to the 8.848 m high summit in the first days of May, while the rest are gentled for assault. In the pest sixty years or so there were hosis of teams struggling to reach the lop. All but 25 of them fatted, Dalli recently only six routes were have gone up: the vet untrevelled southwest wall counterforts.



Visitinis Balyberdis, 37 year old Lettlegrat engineer, and Muscovila Eduard Myslovsky, Candidate of Sciences (Tech.), professor at the Moscow Ha-



gintering Institute we're the first gineering institute, were the first to make it to this top.

On April 26 they left the tase camp to lay out a naw route up the south west wall it took them four days resching the fourth camp and another three to emorale out approaches to the silit one tringing out for hundrids of the tringing out for hundrids of the fight.

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USSR AND ITS ALLIES HAVE MORE REASONS TO FEAR AMERICA AND NATO

Berkeley, California, The US government is deceiving the morican people secking to attalu a military and strategic superiority over the USSR, said Professor J. Holdren of the University of California, who is Vice-President of the Pederation of American Scientists.

Addressing a conference held on the initialive of the organization Physicians for Social Responsibility, he said an analysis of the alignment of strategic nuclear missiles and the overall balance of forces between NATO and the Warsaw Treaty show

more reasons to fear the United States and NATO than the other way round. Cenuine American interests re-

quire a remunciation of the policy of the first nuclear strike, a withdrawal of American nuclear weapons from Europe which has been converted into a powder keg and a future theatre of a "limited" nuclear war, and a freeze on the development, production and deployment of new



Waisaw. The session of tho Polish parliament heard C. Kis-zezak, Minister of Internal Attairs, reporting on the street other Polish cities on May 3.

Regretiably, said the minister, the groups that were rampant in p-cially in Warsaw, were highly aggressive, and \$1 militlation were wounded, 271 persons were d tained in Warsaw. They are the initiators and particularly aggressive violators of peace.

The events, said the minister, were inspired by the enemies of erdalism who openly show their minical attitudes. The outside support which the enemies of soalism receive, the actions of tadio Fice Europe are no longer just a "slanderous political propaganda". This radio station not

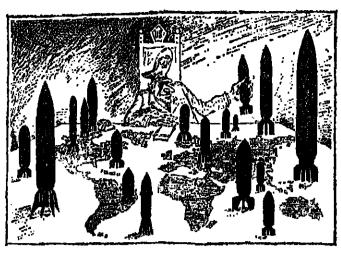
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only sends instructions about conspiration but also details scripts on organizing disorders.

The offensive against our so-

cialist state is dictated in the flist place by the fear least the tension in Poland should subside, while the enemies' changes of influencing the situation in the country grow slimmer. They do not like sensational headlines on Poland disappearing from the Western press. Or it may be that our problems are meant to serve as a screen to put to the background the shameful Palklands conflict or some other colonial actions. Such is the underlying cause of the street disorders in Polish cities. Such is their internal and external mechanism.

Spartak BEGLOV



Drawing by Igor Smirnov

NATO'S FABRICATION

Brussels, NATO Secretary-General J. Luns has held a press conference at NATO Headquarters in Evere to present a new booklet on the alignment of forces between NATO and the Warsaw Treaty. He sald the booklet was a result of six months of preparations and that it ex-pressed the views of the 14 NATO counties. Although the document claims to be objective, it is full of tendentious and in-

correct statements and figures.
It describes as "measures of containment" forced on NATO the aggressive preparations by the bloc including the decision to deploy new American mediumrange nuclear missiles in Europe. It makes no mention of the production of the neutron weapons started in the United States, nor of the expanded manufacture of chemical agents designed to be used in a "limited" war in Eu-rope. Neither do the authors say anything about the commonly known facts about the first-strike capability created by NATO, or

about the adopted by Washing-ton directives immediately in preparation for war in the Euopean "theatre". No more objectivity is there

actual alignment of forces in Who needs these inventions and the balancing act with figures?

about NATO's assessment of the

It is easy to answer this question. NATO is seriously worned by the growing resistance in Europe and the United States to NATO's insene plans. The scale of the anti-way project and the of the anti-war protest and the public demand that the dangerous arms race should be abandoned and that reductions in nuclear arsenals should be really started have become a serious obstacle for the militarists. In order to scale down the wave of the pro-tests NATO has decided to undertake this propaganda opera-tion and to produce the fabrications about the "defenseless" alliance and the "Soviet threat"

banging over Europe.

Tripoli. Participants of the African economy and plauning ministerial conference here have condemned the "aid programms" prepared by the World Bank for the "development of African countries south of the Sahara". The aim of the programme, which was prepared in Washington and reflects the interests of the iming artificially African countries according to a geographical crite-rion and in creating more barriers in the way of establishing close cooperation between the states of the continent, says a special declaration edopted by

dination of plans in economy, science, technology and trade, building joint projects, wider use of own resources.

NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT: REAL AND FALSE AVENUES

Two opposite approaches to nuclear disarmament have now crystallized in the current international discussion. The proponents of one of them argue that there are more than enough hat there are more than enough nuclear weapons in storage to-day to exterminate all life on this planet, which naturally makes nuclear war a nonsensical and fetal proposition for any country and people against which such weapons might be used.

The other approach advocated by Washington amphasizes the "insufficiency" of American nu-clear potential and calls for grammes for boosting this poten-tial or unitaleral Soviet diserma-

The Soviet Union shares the anxiety of the world public opinion over continued tempent arms race and says it is ready to reach the most radical agreements to this end with other na-tions. Confirming this sland, Leoald Brozhnev stressod the other day that none other than the USSR has repeatedly proposed setting up nuclear-free zones and ridding Europe of both medium-rango and tectical nuclear wea-pons. But Moscow styesses in this respect that there are things that just cannot be substituted another. Concerning,

"zero option" in Europe, it must be made clear that this should be achieved through mutual drastic zero-level reductions rather than through some "dual solutions" based on double standards, i.e. acquiring unliateral advantages at the expense of the Soviet Union's security. Union's security.

Compliance with the principles of parity and equal security are contral to any stage of limitation and curtailments of armaments. Assuming this is an axiom, it is henceforth indisputable that the sides involved must be at one in viowing the unlessfring of nu-clear war as plain inconceivable and reliance on achievement of nuclear arms superiority as sheer madness.

But the very conduct of US politicians and strategists leads paople to strongly suspect that they are coverity working to achieve such superfority whatever the price. Significantly, former US ambassador to the USSA Thomas Wetson admitted tecently that he and other American experts on relations with the Soviet Uplon (newtiably find themselves "Victims" to theore-islans recording US precient ficians regarding US nuclear superiority as the crifical guaranfee of security.
This is strikingly indicative of

the US power structure to ecknowledge parity with the Soviet Union and to proceed from parity, i.e. respect of equality and equal security for the other side, in its talks with the USSR.

There is now more talk in this respect in the USA about the illrespect in the USA about the illiated SALT-2 treatly, specifically about its advantages. Several leading columnists with influential local papers, Senator Gary Hart, Representative Les Aspin and others recently came out in support of the treatly of the second columnists. support of the treaty. As Les Aspin pointed out, the treaty might be instrumental in achieving far more than simple free-

zing of weapons. Looking back with regrof, sensible Americans also find something to represent them-solves with; indeed, when two and a half years ago the freaty was being picked to pieces by the "hawks", the US public opi-

nion kept silence. non kept silence.

But who is primarily responsible for the missed opportunities! Pracisely these American strategists everse to the idea that according to the SALT agreements the USA would have to recognize the next for dealing with the USSR on an equal footing. Today in hindeight Washington is keen to justify

its refusal to ratify the SALT-2 treaty by alleging US inferiority in arms vis-a-vis the USSR. But the important thing is that the freaty was specifically meant to deprive either side of any advantages. Leonid Brezhnev declared late last year that since the signing of the treaty in 1979 the Soviet Union made no changes in its strategic arms to alter the rough parity that had been achieved. The White House and the Pentagon are House and the Pentagon are well aware of this and still are rushing ahead with fresh military programmes. All this holds the US ruiting circles doubly responsible—for wrecking the SALT-2 treaty and for giving a new twist to the nuclear arms race.

> One can arrive at the following conclusion in seeking the way out of the Washington-created deadlock and a half to the arms race. That freezing o nuclear arsenals is now as urgent as never before and that neither the freezing nor [and these arsenals is possible with-out fundamental agreement spe-cifying parify and the balance of both sides' interests and consequently clearing the way for further joint moves to cut back

Atmaments, For all sensible people the is an imperative. As regards the Soviet Union, it has consistent in upheld an immediate resumption of the SALT talks to preserve all the positive aspects of the SALT-2 treaty and this equal-ty advocated real limitation and curtaliment of armaments on the bests of parity and equal security. What is needed is business-like and fevel-headed regotts. tions rather than cheap propa-

PALESTINIANS FIGHT ON

Betrut. Reports coming from the West Bank and the Gaza Strip say that the Palestinians there are confinding their struggle despite the campaign of terror and reprisals. The WAFA news agency says that massive antiisraoli demonstrations took place some days ago in Nablus, Ra mallah and other cities.

This wave of protests has been caused by the decision of the Israeli Knesset to stop dismantiing Israeli settlements on the West Bank and in the Gaza Strip. This act of blatant violation international law testifies to Tel Aviv's plans to perpetuate its control of the occupied Arab territories in defiance of the in-

BATTLE IN MORAZAN

San Salvador. The troops of the pro-American puppet regime have suffered a major defeat to the department of Morazon where they tried to destroy a large group of insurgents. According to the Venceromos guerrille radio, the junta lost 211 men either killed or severely wounded and large quantities of military

'AID PROGRAMME' CONDEMNED

the conference.

One of the top priority tasks was soon by the conference in the need for an elaboration and adoption of a single economic strategy, preparation of joint development programmes, cool

ITALY: CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS ELECT NEW LEADER

Rome. Reuter-TASS. The lian Christian Democratic Party elected a new leader in an effort to reassert its dominant position in the country's post-war politics. ciriaso de Mita, 54, a lawyer from the Naples hintarland, was elected to the powerful post of party secretary with the solid aupport of left-wing and centrist party factions at the Christian party faction party faction party factions at the Christian party faction Democratic Party congress

Like other party secretaries in Italian politics, de Mita will play no direct role in government but will have the declaive voice in party policy and appointments. party policy and appointments.

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THE WORLD

V-Day commemorated

"The Great Patriolic War as seen by photo-graphers and artists" is on view now in the Exhibition Hall of the Moscow Joint Committee of graphic art-lets at 28 Malaya Gruzinskaya St. it features over 200 items by major Soviet war reporters and by budding photo and graphic artlate. Many of them are well known to viewers in this country and abroad, reflecting the unmatched exploit of the Soviet people in their struggle with fascism. They also captured scenes from

Alexander GERINAS



Yavgeny Haldel. "At the Potsdam Conference, Stalin, Truman and Churchill"





Mark Redkin, "The Banner of Victory". "The End".

FACTS and EVENTS

A nationwide opinion polisponsored by "The Washington Posi" and the ABC television network has shown that 71 per cent of all Americans favour freezing

O for the lirst time effer ten years, a meeting has been held by the Franco-Israell Economic Commission. The decision to resume the activities of the com-mission, suspended on the initiative of France in profest against the israeli government's policies, was taken during the recent visit by President F. Mitterrand to is-

O il cosis the Japanose taxpayers one thousand million dol-lars a year to maintain the Amer-ican troops and bases in Japan,

the 'yellow rain' in Indochina second "expedition" for this, the one which included Barnes, Last October the group mainly consisting of Meo tribesmen crossed the Mekong River into Laos. They were sent by former Laotian general Vang Pao who belief the USA in their aggres-

Bangkok. The local press carries the story of American Scott Barnes who was sent to Laos by American secret services. Barnes said that the CIA had prepared the creation for secret penetration. ah operation for secret penetration of agents into the territories of Laos and Kampuchea. The tasks of the first group of agents in-cluded bringing to Indochina and spreading the chemical "yellow rain" in order to supply "material evidence" of use of poisonous agents by the Soviet Union and Vietnam, US-made chemicals were taken for the purpose.

li was decided to kill the "vellow rain" distributors so that criminal operation remained secret. The CIA equipped a

Jadeite wars

More than four thousand years ago, Chinese emperors began to decorate their palaces with works of art made of Jadeite, a stone unlead in the jungles in the north of Burms. Confucius regarded it as the symbol of the best human qualities.

qualities,
Today, blood is shed over
ladelte quarried in the notorious
Colden Triangle where there are
bases of the pro-Paking separatists and remnants of the knomintang troops thrown out of China.
Frequent wars between these
gangs are now fought not only
over optum but also over jadeits.

Part of Jadeite is smuggled into China, say rebels from the se-called, Kachin Independence Army, who have surrendered to the Burmese authorities, an Asso-ciated. Press, correspondent reports from Rangoon.

Jadelia is of course not used to decorate new buildings in Peking: Indeed, they are sold on international markets including
Hong Kong. The money paid for
them is spent to maintain proPaking splinter groups in SouthHast Asia.

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either in the cication of SATO, or in the issue of sovereignly over the Folkland Islands (Malvinas), the audior notes, On its part, London has offered the Pentagon a right to set up a base on the Ascension Island and has handed over to Wastangton the Island of Diego Garcia, which it wrested from Mauritius for the Americans to build a strategic military base there. Therefore, Washington is confident that if Britain whis

WHO KILLED PIO LA TORRE? Malia carried out an order from without, writes V. Ageyev In KOMSOMOLSKAYA PRAVDA concerning the killing in Pulcino of Pio la Toire, member of the Italian Communist

would be ready to "concede" the Islands to the Pentugon

FROM the SOVIET PRESS

Por three weeks, Washington was trying to secure freedom

of action for itself in the South Allantic in the process of the so-called peace initiative by Secretary of State Haly, writes Yarl Bandara in IZV ESTIA. When it became clear that Bucnes

After did not were to make a deal at the terms proposed by

Woshington and London, the British task force poised for

ulluck off the Putkland Islands (Islas Malvinas) was let loose.

back the Palkland Islands (Malvinas) from Argentina, London

fluenos Aires has shown no desire to yield to pressure

WHO UNCHAINED THE BRITISH

TASK FORCE?

Party's leadership and member of parhament. Being a member of the partiumentary commission investigating Malia activity in Sicily, writes Ageyev, Plo to Torre had done much in this field. Malia had enough reasons to do away with him, But why now?

The mass compalgn conducted by Italians protesting over plans to turn Sicily into a launching pad for new American missiles has been getting recently on the nerves of NATO generals and politicians, writes the author. Pio la Forre was one of the leaders of the campaign. This is it—he stood not only in

Matia's way!
Whole volumes have already been written about Malia connections with the CIA as well as the right extremists and ultra-left organizations in Italy. Even former CIA chief Wil-liam Colby admitted to a US Congress commission investigating CIA activities that his agency entertains relations with Malla for "operational purposes".

Isn't the killing of Pio in Torre one of such "outers"?

ON ORDERS OF WAR BUSINESS

The information and propagated service of the NATO Russels headquarters is becoming increasingly prominent in the condination of Joint action by the Wedern press, espeetally as regards ideological subotage against socialism, writes Yn. Nolm in the SOISIAUSTICHFSKAYA INDUSTRIYA newspaper, it is proceedy that centre which, prompted by the CIA and the military-industrial complexes, is masterminding many "blene" used by the Western media for propaganda attacks against the USSR and other socialist countries and in

lonning military psychosis. The function of the "Soviet threat" myth is to give free reign to the military-industrial complex and throw up artificial barriers to settling the arms limitation issue. This is a social order by military business to the dependent media, the article

GROWING THREAT IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Tel Aviv is making open preparations for a big war, writes Vitaly Kobysh in LITERATURNAYA GAZETA. An attack against South Lebanon is to be its first stage, and, for from being concealed. If is even advertised.

Having solved nothing, the Camp David process, whose mo-mentum has been spent, has created an even more dangarous situation which impetialism, with help from Israel, intends to manage at its own—and nobody else's—discretion. The Middle East has been brought to a state of a still greater ten-

become tragic for the whole world, remarks the author.
We do not conceal, the paper stresses, that we view these tresponsible policies pursued by the United States and Israel as a direct threat to our own country, whose southern borders and the borders of the nearest states in the region are at no more than 200 to 300 kilometres. What the strategists in Wamore than 200 to 300 kilometres. What the strategists in Washington see as part of their geopolitical game is an encroachment on the peace and security of the peoples of the Soviet
Union and its nearest neighbours, Neithor do we latered to
take an indifferent view of a bonfire of war being started
in this area and whole nations becoming victims to violence
verging on genocide perpetrated there along with a murder
of common sense. This sense we have not fost.

Science and technology

'GLASS' BRIDGE

helped the USA in their aggres-

After having crossed into the

Lactian territory the agents,

however, refused to carry out

their orders. Washington's un-

seemly act has become publicly

sion in Indochina.

The first "glass" bridge in the world has been designed in Bulgaria to link both banks of the Nishava River, its apans are made of superstrong fibre glass plastic; During tasts, the model of the bridge withstood a load of 1,200 tonbes.

BIG COLLECTION

There are two and a half gull-

in research carried out by bolanists in the GDR and other countries. Last year alone, more than 15 thousand of sheets from

the herbarlum were lent by University to foreign scientists.

MALARIA STILL DANGEROUS

Malaria is still widely spread in the tropics. The problem of its treatment and prevention is the topic for investigation by scientists from Papua-New Gulneau and Australia who intend to develop immunity against the disease in humans. The magatine "Tite Padific islaines" writes that their successes are already in evidence. Nevertheless, it There are two and a half pill—nea and Australia who intend to lion sheets with samples of plents develop immunity against the half the herbartum collected by the disease in humans. The magainst histories schiller University in time "The Pacific Italands" writes least it is the higgest botantial that their successes are already collection in the CDR, it contains in evidence. Nevertheless, it samples of plants from all the will take about ten years more gontinents, which is of great halp, before their work is completed.

COMPUTER REPLACES CLERKS

A recently designed computer can replace a great number of employees at holels, writes the Jaune Afrique" magazine. The computer can make a reserva-tion of a hotel room, take orders. for serving guests in their rooms, answer numerous tions from the guests and write out bills for the services rendered.

POWERFUL ROBOT

The British firm of Lamberton is to design a rough for steel works and some other industries, writes "The New Scientist" of London. It will be able to hold and move objects weighing ug to 4.3 tonnes. It is to be one of the most powerful industrial regots

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HOME

Round the Soviet Union

9 "1,500th ANNIVERSARY OF KIEV" IS THE NAME OF A HIGH-POWERED OCEANGOING TRAWLER LAUNCHED OF THE KIEV LEHINSKAYA KUZNITSA SHIPYARDS. The ship will be used by Kaliningrad fishermen.

THE CHERKESSK CHEM. ICAL WORKS IN THE HORTH-ERN CAUCASUS IS PHASING IN A NEW ENAMEL, YPE-1179, WHICH IS VERY EASY TO USE. Unlike all other enamels regulting various organic and synthetic solvents, the new enamel mixes well with water.

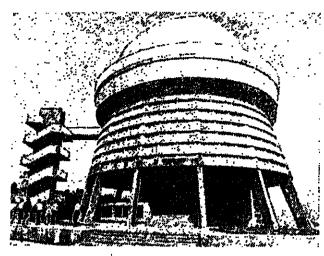
ENVIRONMENTALISTS
FROM MOSCOW, LENINGRAD AND OTHER CITIES OF THIS COUNTRY WILL HELP SOLVING THE PROBLEM OF ENVIRON-MENTAL PROTECTION IN THE GEORGIAN CAPITAL OF THE LISI. They have visited Thillsi's largest enlarprises which they patronize. Leading experts were invited from the fraternal republics by fire Coordination Council created at the Tbilist City Council of People's Depu-ties. Contracts have been signed providing for modern llution-control equipment at the city's enterprises.

FINE-FIBRE COTTON SO-WING HAS BEEN FINISHED IN UZBEKISTAN. Its plantations went farther to the republic's south, taking another four thousand hectares of recently reclaimed lands in the Surkhan-Sherabad stoppes.

A MUSEUM OF SAMOVAR MANUFACTURING WILL BE OR-GANIZED IN TULA, the city of armourers which is also long since been known as the city of samovar-makers.

AN EXHIBITION WHICH
HAS OPENED IN TBILIST FEATURES THE ART OF SHOTA AND MARGARITA METREYELI, WHO ARE BOTH MERITED AR-TISTS OF THE GEORGIAN RE-PUBLIC. The two artists took a journey across the Soviet Union bringing back nearly two hundred paintings, portraits and grantil the state of the st phic theets now on display the Georgian capital. They show landmarks of the great road travelled by the fraternal peo-ples of the Saviet Union in the sixty historical years. Their ex-hibition is the first in the series of exhibitions "Strong by Their Friendship" to be held by the Union of Georgian Artists to mark the 60th anniversary of the

In our ago of space flights b would not be an exaggeration to say that ground-based telescopes continue to play an imme rolo in the exploration of the Universe. Some of the discoveries have shottered the elegant picture that for a long time seemed unshakeable to many people. It has been established for Inslance, that the melagalaxy—the aggregation of all the observable galaxies—is expanding at a tremendous speed doubling in volume every ten thousand million years. Astronomers predicted the existence of dying stars, and then discovered them. Neutron stars have been found with their almospheres emitting radio waves. Since these stars spin very quickly, their radio waves reach



BYURAKAN STARS

us as pulses giving them their name of pulsars. At first, some of these signals received on the Barth were sitributed to extraterrestrial civilizations

Much progress in the study of early stages in the life of stars has been made by the astronomers at the Byurakan Astrophysical observatory in Armenia. They have established, for exam-

They have established, for example, that overwhelming majority of the new stars go through a stage of "flaring star" at their early existence. Hundreds of

such stars have been discovered.
The observatory has a powerful telescope with a 2.6 metre mirror. It is the second largest lelescope in Europe after the BTA optical telescope recently buill in this country and provided with a mirror of six metres in diameter.

Much information about the socrets of the Universe has been brought by cosmic rays. The Aragats station in Armenta has many intricate instruments to register cosmic rays.

The computer station registering cosmic rays on the mountain of

Better turbines for nuclear projects

Faced with the task of reduc-ing the construction time and weight of the turbines intended for I million kilowatt power generation units to be installed nuclear power projects, the Le-ningradsky Metallichesky Zavod works has developed and statted

full-scale production of turbines meeting the above requirements. Previously the works manufac-tured only "slow" 1,500 rpm turbines which were metal extensive and incorporated parts weighing up to 200 tonnes. To assemble these turbines on sil was not an easy task ton.

The new turbines rotate twice as fast, while their weight was reduced by 1.5-fold. Steam 800 MW turbines which had proved their worth were used as the pilor ait.

Northern houses becoming warmer

Yakutian construction materials factories have been receiving diopsid which is used to make mineral cotton—a heat insulation material intended for houses in the Far North. Geologists did not have to look for dlopsid. They take it from the waste bank of a local mica factory. It used to be dumped before. Now they learned to take it from wastes at th Emeldzhak mica mines.

Khiva is a town on a par with such Central Asian celebrities as Samarkand, Bukbara, Kuni-Urgench. The use of diopsid for mineral it is located in the Uzbek republic in the sun-drenched Khorezm cotton is a cost saving solution, outs. As early as the 10th century Arab scholars referred to it as since previously it was brought

raine towns are given museum status.

n place of fairly large significance, while the lown liself had been founded much earlier. According to archaeologists, it was the centre of an original culture as far back as the 6th-8th centuries.

The grey-yellow mass of Ichan-Kala, the earliest part of the town, is girdled by sturdy fortress walls. A section of the pulace-fortress, its recoption half and the summer mosque fitted out with bright tiles, have survived the ravages of time.

Visitors to Khiva show much interest in the Soyld Alauddiu mnusoleum, a remnaut of the Mongol rule times, the Pakhlavan-Makhmud mansoleum, the Kaltaminor mineret, and, finally, the "Stone Palace" complex with innumerable rooms.

Science

and technology

Scientists at Kharkov Univers-

Ity have found plants useful in

the search for mineral deposits.

In cooperation with specialists

from Moscow they have devel-

oped the so-called phitogeochem-

cal method in prospecting for

oil and gas. They have discovered that rees, bushes and grasses grow-

ing above oil and gas deposits have leaves and needles with a

higher content of some micro-elements. These microscopic

particles are carried onto the

surface from the layers satur-

ated with oil by currents of by-

drocarbonates. Being absorbed

by plants, these elements in-

crease their fron, copper, titan-ium and calcium content. The new method has been tested in

Stberla. By combining it with the traditional methods of pros-

pecting, one can have a more precise idea about the area of

the deposit and disperse with

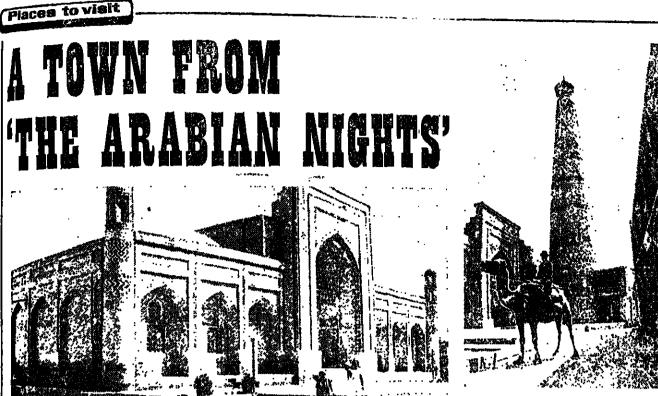
plocation rigs.

POLYMERS WITH

IRON PROPERFIES

| PLANTS HELPING

PROSPECTORS



Tajik youths compete In better knowledge of Russian

Historians, art critics, architects and sociologists often refer to a

so-called "nuseum explosion" as symptomatic of people's growing laterest in history, archaeology and daily life of our ancestors.

New museums are being set up, the existing ones get expanded,

conservation zones are being set aside in towns, and not infrequently

Young students of Russian larguage and literature have the Tajik republican Olympiad held in the replied Dushanbe.

The study of Russian language given considerable attention Tajikistan, said K. Bobokolo-ov, deputy Tajik Minister of Education in a conversation with ATASS correspondent. Little ones lean to speak Russian from the they go to kindergartens Lin have a special curriculum All schools have a course of Rus-

a great need for teachers of Russian language and Russian litera-An important role in choosing

tongue. Therefore, we experience

An important role in choosing students to study a course in these subjects at pedagogical institutes and colleges is played by Olympiads which are held within schools, towns and regions. The winners get recommendations which facilitate their admission to descriptions of Pustles Institute the contractions. to departments of Russian langu age and Russian literature at colleges and universities.

Concern for environment in Brest

Alter being temporarily closed for the modernization of puri-sation facilities and the inoduction of waste-free technolef; the gas equipment works in Bet (Byelorussia) has resumed caration. At present admixtures estacted from technical solu-

OF INTEREST

tions, in particular heavy-metal oxides, are used to manufacture ceramic tiles at the adjoining building materials factory while purified water is again used in roduction.

The reconstruction work was carried out in keeping with the decision of the City Soviet in order to reduce water consump tion in the Zapadhy (Western) Bug and Mukhavets rivers and also to ensure its purity.

The City Soviet commission on environmental protection includes 15 people's deputies workers, engineering and stituents. They rely in their work on the cooperation of dearly 300

the cooperation of nearly 300 volunteer activists. The Byelorussian scientists have developed a technology for the purification of industrial waste water and of harmful discharges into the atriosphere for every industrial enjerprise in Brest.

Members of the commission have started to implement a long-term programme adopted by the City Soviet for the grotection of waters in the Zapadny Bug basin. It is planted to increase almost twofold firs capacity of purification installations in Brest and also to, introduce water recycling at mills and increase in the region.

pair cost. The pipes have provided considerable savings in ushing sand plugs.

Added strength is supplied to the pipes by extra-strong threads made out of glass fibres. The theory of the new product has been developed by G. Aliyav, Dr. of Sci. (Phys. and Math.) of the Mathematics and Mechanics Institute at the Azerbaijan Academy of Sciences in collaboration with the Moscow physicist A. Ilyushin who is a Correspond-Ing Member of the USSR Academy of Sciences.

According to economists, wide introduction of the steelsaving polymer pipes in the Azerbaijan oil fields will save dozens of millions of roubles every year.

POWERFUL HAY BALING PRESS

A compact bale of bay can be gathered in two and a half min-utes by a new powerful hay bal-ing press which has been de-signed in Kirghizia. Recent tests have shown that the powerful machine combines speed with the high quality of the hay it bales.

Designed at the Research and Design Institute of Forage Harvesters in Franze, the press is one in a series of machines which provide for complex me-chanization of forage harvesting. Kirghiz industries have used the Kirghiz Industries have used the blueprints drawn up at the institute to start commercial manufacture of producest mowers, rotary spilately raises and several types of basics and liked military, bearly a military of these produces afficient mattribute will be grantinged, thus yest. New polymer pipis effered by Acertalian adeales are larger bloom as rolled ates! Folymer hoses have proved helpful for ollmen doing rapid and and and repairs of the Bore holes and brought love the re-

THEATRE

was written by C. Balamets, head of the USBR History Ferculty. University professors and museum sldif as well as cultivens of Tarty contributed towards the production. They provided the students with pariod sweryday effects and student uniforms as well as with old primis.

VIEWPOINT WASHINGTON TO THE PARTY OF GEORGIA'S PLACE

ON THE COUNTRY'S ECONOMIC MAP

> Valerian VADACHKORIA. Deputy Chairman of the Council of Ministers of the Georgian SSR

The Georgian SSR—though small to area (about 70,00 square kilometres) and popula ion (over 5 million) occupie place in the country terms of its gross national prod ucl. Georgia produces aircraft and electric locomotives, hydrofolls and heavy forries, computers and electrotechnical in-struments, lathes and steel pipes, as well as too, tung-oil and the citrus fruit. It is a major producer of wine, fruit, vegelables and tobacco. About 40 per cent of its aggregate product is con-somed in the rest of the country r goes abroad.

There were periods of reta-lively slow devolopment in Geor-gla's economic life. In the 1960s, or example, it lagged behind the all-Union level in growth rates for its gross product, national in come and labour productivity.

Over the past decade quite iliterent pictura has emerged During this period more than 500 industrial enterprises were built or modernized in Georgia. But i s so much a question of growing economic potential as of the vay II is used. While in 1970 the republic was 17 per cent beblod the all-Union figure in such an important economic indicator as return on investments, by 1980 it had overtaken this ligure In agricultura every hectare of land in Georgia today yields twice the amount of the average figure taken for the country as a whole. Of course, much of this success can be explained by ertile soil and favourable clim ate, yet it was not so very long ago that these lands did no ring in such good harvests.

The per capita national incom has grown by 39 per cent; labour productivity by 27.2 per cent. The volume of the aggregate social product has grown by more than 40 per cent. Over 300 new industrial products have grown by products have

The following factors provide some indication of the technical level of Georgia's industry: there are now more than 1,500 totally mechanized and automatized plants in operation in the republic. Over récent years, robots have begun to be used production.

For a long time the faut an nergy basis was a weak poin in Georgie's economy. Now this state of affairs is changing. The Inguri hydroelectric power station with capacity of 1.3 million kW and the commissioning of this power units at the Vertakh elation have solved the power units of the power units of deposits have been decovered which miles that very hoop we will be recovered to the content of tion with capacity of 1.3 million

lilde Lowland.

TANKER FOR THE CASPIAN AND THE VOLGA

The recently received by the Caspian steamship company tan-ker "General Celderov", built at the Volgograd shipyard, is to carry oil from the Baku and Mangyshlak oil fields, and oil products from the refineries in Turkmenia. The tanker has a shallow draught and can call at ports along the Volga and at other river ports. This will allow

to dispense with transshipment at Astrakhan where the Volga flows into the Caspian Sea.

EARTH GIVES OFF HEAT

The first sections of a 200 km gas pipeline have been welded gas priceine have been welded near the small talga settlement of Sabo. The pipeline, which is to cross talga boglands, will be pumping gas from the Mongl oil field to towns and settlements in the north of the Island of Sakha-

The tanker is provided with special bays for ballast water taken by the previously made ships into their cargo tanks.
Therefore, these tanks had to be cleaned most thoroughly before fuel could be pumped in, a labour consuming operation which also political the water. Political also polluted the water. Polluted water had to be transported on shore and poured into special reservoirs. The new tanker makes all these operations unnecessary, and improves its performance,

lin In the Soviet Far East, The island effectively uses cosebead gas, earlier burnt up, for heating houses and factories. In the Katangli and Nogliki setilements the gas produces enough electricity to meet all of

IN A PIPE

CANAL

The main hed of the famous Karakum Canal which extends for 1,100 kilometres across the Karakum Desert has recently been completed on the territory of Turkmenia. The canal will further go in two directions. Its western branch, in pipes, will go to Kazandzhik, Nebit-Dag and further to Krasnovodsk to provide water for over 20 settlements in Turkmenia's most arid area. The southern branch will rich the subtropical area to water over half a million bectares. At present, only 600 hectares in this area are used, especially to grow pomegranales. Watered pastures will also be arranged in this region to provide fodder for karakul breeding farms.

A MULTIPURPOSE DEVICE

rom other regions.

UEW-4, a device for electri water activation manufactured by the Kokand Bolshevik factory (Central Asia) has performed well in various gas fields of the country. The unit has been designed for electromagnetic processing of stratal and sea waters used by gasmen to propare dil-ling solutions. It desalinates as much as 20 cubic metres of waler per hour saving a lot of caus-

tic sode and other costly agents. The sphere of the unit's use is rather wide: in the cement dustry, medicine, agriculture and other industries. Experiments show that cement prepared with the electrically activated water is 20 to 25 per cent stronger than its conventional count part:

FROM the SOVIET PRESS

RAISING THE EFFICIENCY OF WORK

Prolound changes in production, particularly mechanization and outomotivation, demand that management be responsible and the workmanship in many areas be higher, writes the SOVIETSKAYA ROSSIYA newspaper. A trade-oil between the human and the machine factor is the main task of the modern production management.

One of the aims for the current decade consists in improving the working conditions, making a considerable progress in removing the difference between in-tellectual and physical activity. This task is tackled in the first place by means of advanced machinery and lechnological processes. Operations research is no less important in this respect though less expensive. Managorial innovations in industry provide for one-third of the labour productivity growth, saving 400,000 jobs

life shows that production management has become more sophisticated. This is understandable since len years ago to raise the efficiency it was milliolent to stroduce a more reasonable layout or to improve the lighting, but now the lask is not that simply. Modern production management requires a comprehensive op-proach accounting to: all the sides of the entire pro-

Advanced munagement techniques will cover 45 per cent of the total jobs during the cutrent five year, plan period, saving nearly loar million hands as a result, needed in other industries;

A SCIENTIST NEEDS A HEIGHTENED SENSE OF SEARCH

What makes the scientist's social image? This ques-tion of a PRAVDA correspondent is answered by Kon-stantin Syintk, Vice-President of the Ukrathian Acad-emy of Sciences and Director of the Institute of Botany. I think that the scientist should be wedded to life o her job, he ready to spare not a single effort in the de-yelopment of science, writes the Academician. The main fediure of our profession is the continuous quest of the new truth no one knows when or where he runs UN'Ales him for many years. But meanwhile he should continue his search, which often becomes an everyday rouline. There is no personal or learn success without this.

The spirit of endeavour and the level of requirements to a large degree depend on knowledgeable, gilted and industrious researchers who set the pace in scientific quest and who are followed in by younger scientists.

IS THE EARTH GETTING SLIMMER?

The world annually produces vast amount of coal, oil and gas, which are used as energy fuels — but does it affect the planet's weight? An answar to this question is given in IZVESTIA, by V. Salronov, Doctor of Sciences (Phys. and Moths.), head of the Barth and planets origin and early evolution section at the O. Schmidt Institute of Barth Physics of the USSR Academy of Sciences.

He argues that the Barth's mass does not dwindle, since the combustion products remain in the aimosphere, leaving intect the mass preservation law of the great Russion salential to Barth's weight.

The Earth is the recipient of a large amount of small interplanetary particles — disintegrated asteroids — of which we know over 2,000, and which move in spare

between the Mars and the Jupiter orbits. In fust one day the Barth collects hundreds of tannes of small space bodies and dust, but big as such ligures might seem on the lace of it, they are negligibly small compared with the mass of our planet and are unable to produce any significant influence on the Barth's revolution around its axis or its distance from the Sun or on our everyday life.

EDUCATIVE FORCE OF EXAMPLE

The icenager is made so, writes in KOMSOMOL-SKAYA PRAVDA S, Shmakov, Cand. of Sci. (Ped.), ... that, similarly to a vitamin-deficient human organism in March, he needs explosive, highly impressive adivity, which would promise him both self-ascertainment and the recognition of his peers and adults. Any epigprise which requires permanent, redi (not game-lik eliotis, pays the teenagers in a special kind of loug ness and belief in own capabilities. In general, this happens gradually just like crystals grow.

The teenoger emotional nature is particularly site of ceptible to collective, creative deeds with a high decide.

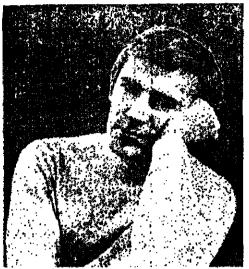
moralistion effect in the course of which the process of educating through the mood goes on. They like the methods of improvising, competition, risky games and do not like the method of repetition where every mind. ule detail. Is repeated in the pame of formal orderliness.

It is deads that are required the ducation in air lines.

One should invent line every are event which wolld make a simple life out of every new lay for the leading agers, concludes the author.

elween you and me. water recovering tories by the region.

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Lyubshin has had an astonishing career as an actor, a cureer in which chance has played a very small role. On the contrary, Lyubshin would appear to have been the complete master of his tate. Dedication, hard work, a highly sorious attitude to his calling and unwillingness to compromise combined to enable him to targe ahead in the acting profession.

Neither his adolescent background, he came

from a family of state farm workers, nor the environment of a village outside Moscow, nor the post-war period were propilions to artistic pursuits. Nevertheless at the age of 22, having been to vocational and then technical action and baving a slint in the army behind him be resolved to enter drama college. Among people straight from school, he felt his age and he had to work nights as a welder at a construction site to support a family — he already was a married man by this time.

Ills appearance in the graduation play, "An Optimistic Tragedy", by Vsevolod Vishnevsky, brought him invitations from 27 theatres across the land. He opted for the Sovremennik, which in those years was both standard-bearer and

mouthplece for the age.
...la his 20 years in cluema and theatra

GUEST PERFORMANCES IN MAY

An important event in the cultural life of the country will be the Days of Bulgarian Culture in the USSR, marking the centenery of Georgi Dimitrov. The Days due to begin in Moscow on May 24, as well as in other Soviet cities, will be attended by popular Bulgarian performers and

The Finnish National Opera will for the first time he appearing in Moscow, Leningrad and Talling with a programme leady. ing Verdi'a "Macheh" r A. Sullivan's "The Red line

The Tempore classical L quariet's arrival in the 1859 he timed to coincide his opening of the "Mexican to tecture" exhibition in Moss.

Among other visitors w variety performers and grant Sweden, Turkey, Age-from Sweden, Turkey, Age-Hungary, Cuba, Yagoshur Japan, arriving in our

Japanese tour of Tajik singer

Dzhurabek Murodov, a singar from Tajikistan (a Central Asian republic), will start his guest performances in Japan by the popular Soviet song "Kaliusha". Dzhurabek Murodov, a soloist of the Tajik Philharmonic Society.

shot at film studies in Moscow, Leningrad, and Union republics, as well as Soviet film classics.

The list will include films that

fotched awards from the 15th

antionwide film festival like

Wito lins on excessively ful voice, will tour is Jan cities together with the sec dance group "Zaraishon" a carrier) during this mont; group's repertoire include to folk songs and dances.

lot in World War II. &s

Our of the most remain able events in the Days of Literature and the Artist

has opcued in the Cental

House of the Arisi t 14/10 Krymskaya Enbid

70 artists are on displ

N. Sharapov. "Bayata"

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At the International Co

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people today.

Contacts and contracts

The 2nd international Exhibi-tion of instruments, Equipment and Automatic Systems intended for pollution control and the de-

edies of the sources of pollu-

con, which opens in Moscow on May 19, has drawn nearly 70

frms and organizations from 13 countries—including Austria, Brigaria, Italy, the United States, Figure France, the PRG, Swe-

Con, lapan, etc.
Many countries are now very
stive in pollution control. The
Seviet Union carries out this

BUSINESS

Environmental

protection technology on view

country recognizes the natural environment to be the most im-

portant element in the material well-being of the people and considers the land, the water, the

forests and the wild life to be

the besitage of the entire na-

The USSR State Committee for

Hydrometeorology and Monitor-ing of the Environment is the main agency responsable for pollution control and purity re-quirement in this country. The

Visitors attending a sym-posium which the French group of Remy Martin has held in the

International Trade Centre in

Moscow in cooperation with V/O Sovincentr have been told

interesting nuances in the manu-facture and seasoning of cognac.

The French specialists have also

demonstrated the best of their

In their category, our brandies are the most expensive, said François Herlard-Debroull, Gen-

eral Director of Remy Martin

Group. They are grown in the area of Cognac, in the locality of Petite and Grande Cham-

pagne, I.o. in places where best

quality grapes are grown. There-fore, I think that these drinks

A SYMPOSIUM

OF BRANDY-MAKERS

FILMS FOR CHILDREN O At the USSR Ministry for foreign Trade in Moscow, talks a lade for 1982 ended beween this country and Bangla-deth. A protocol has been igned along with other docu-tests regulating trade relations televan the two countries for A nationwide children's films week opening in this country on "Short is the Night", "Ara the Small" and "Holds: Childhood", telling of the May 14 will feature over 200 pir-tures, among them those freshly

view will be fairy take: te current year. adaptations of works of and animated cartoons is © Another meeting of the (MEA's Standing Committee on Cooperation in Ferrous Metallur-cy has been held in Bucherest. dien of varying ages its children's favourite adm ters, and thin directors. e procedure and deadlines for · implementation of tasks doing from the CMEA Execu-

O An international summer testaner goods and toodstuffs too is now held in Ploydiv, i 'jula's second largest Indus-Yakutla is the exhibits of Yakut painters will rial city, under the slogan: For fermile and Business Cooperaton Taking part are over 1,200 companies and organizations for 8 countries of all continues. A national day of the USS was held at the fair. ment in Moscow when more than 300 item if The paintings, graph sheets, sculptures, at items of applied and decorative art tell the hider and the Hide of the Yale

O in Srussals, Beigium and re USSR have signed a coop-ration protocol in the field of talk protection and medical Kirces, lasting till the end of lichinges and joint vontures.

noisseurs of brandy.

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Among the exhibits are comp-

uterized poliution monitoring and control stations and systems.

Of especial interest are instru-

ments for remote measurements,

sampling devices and analytical

display to be held in Pavilion No. 3 of the exhibition complex

in Krasnaya Presnya.

The exhibition will be the first

Instruments

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Asked about his attitude to Soviet brandies produced using similar technologies, M. Debreull noted that he had tasted these drinks on many occasions himself and commended their rich bouquet and good quality.

EXPOCENTR-BURGER UND PARTNER: JOINT PUBLICATION

V/O Expocentr of the USSR Chamber of Commerce and Industry and the West German Burger und Partner company have agreed to jointly Issue the magazine "Technoforum". The magazine's critions will be timed to coincide with international shows held in the USSR. It will contain technical and other in-

__ SPORTS ___

FOOTBALL

Bitsa Sports Complex (33 Balaklavsky Prospekt), 8—"Pravda" nationwide cross-country race.

Altogether 3,000 athletes from all Union republics will

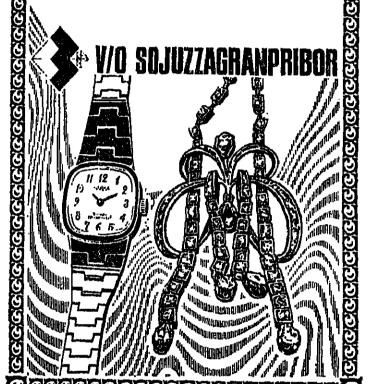
enter this annual event.

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Lynbshin has never given a mediocre per-formance—all the parts he has played have been hallmarked by a conscionious approach, good taste, talent and high quality. But this generally high level of performance still had its peaks which were normally preceded by sweeping changes in the actor's career. The first such peak was Lyubshin's performance of the part of one of three heroes in the once much-luked-of flim, "I Am Twenty", by Marien Khutsiyev. In the same way as did the Sovremennik Theatre the film and its characters reflected the spirit of renewal which swept this country in the late 50s Lyubshin's performance won him popularity and the approclation of film makers and their audiences. Another summit was the part of a So-viet Intelligence officer in the serial, "The Shield

and the Sword".

could actually shape his own fale by rejecting the offer of the lead in a 13-part TV serial by a noted director for the sake of the small, and to him new, role of a contemporary educated rascal in a film, "Defence Attorney", mode by an un-known director. At another point in his career, he chose to stay away from films to concentrate on his best role in the theatre, that of the "hero of our time" in Alexander Vampilov's "Last Summer in Chulimsk". Later he was to abandon the theatre to make a film based on Vasily Shukshin's "Call Me Into the Bright Distance", and to make a brilliant appearance in it in another one

After several successes Lyubshin showed he

of his "negative" parts. He produces and acts Chekhov on TV, plays Tartuffe for the Moscow Art Theatre, and excells in the film, "Five Evenings", which won him an award for the best male part at an international film show in Lyubshin has many spectacular assets—he a slupendous character actor, a connoisagur of Russian classics and a natural for psychological intrigue. Well-known playwrights produce plays with him in mind either as actor or director, top directors dream of having him in their productions. From time to time he abandons the theatre

for films, and yet any of Moscow's leading thea-tres would be glad to recruit him due to the sim-ple fact that Lyubshin has made his mark both as an outstanding talent and as a great personal-ity, a highly cherished combination in art.

Tatyana SAVITSKAYA

Oberhausen awards

The Soviet film, 'The Earth's Mother", by Georgian director G. Chokheli has won the top award at the 28th Internations Short Film Festival in Oborhan sen. Another Soviet entry, "Offered for Scrap", by director I. Gershtein (Kirghizfilm Studios) got the "Interfilm" prize of the

Taking part were 30 countries in Burope, America, Asia and Africa, with till feature and documentary films entered in the

CHEKHOV AGAIN

The Bolshot Drama Theatre in Leningrad has had the first-night performance of Chekhov's "Uncle Vanya" staged by Georgi

We wish to reveal in this play by the great Russian writer the active nature of Chekhov's dramas and to avoid sentimentality. During the rehearsals we clearly saw on many occasions that the more strictly and sharply Chekhov is interpreted, the more clearly appears his

humanity and compassion, says Toyston

Seventeen years ago art direcfor Tovstonogov staged another play by Chekhov at the Leningrad Bolshol Drama Theatre, "The Three Sisters", Savoral actors now playing in "Uncle Vanya" were also accorded in Vanya" were also engaged in that play. Voinitsky is played by Oleg Basilushvill. The other main paris are played by Kirili Lavrov, Yevgeny Lebedev, and Larisa Malevannaya.

The first performance of the "Love, Komsomol and Spring" programme has taken place in the Moscow Circus on Tsvetnel Bonlevard. It was produced by Vladimir Krymko who engaged in the programme the youngest and most talented circus engaged in the country. The arena of the old circus features air gymnasis, Valery and Yurt Pauteleyenko, juggler Jan Poldi on a monocycle, young balances directed by Vladimir Ushakov, and many others. Vitaly Tikhonov performs with a group of excite animals. Clown Yurt Ku: lachov and his trained assistants entertein the audience the





The "Beloverbakuya Pushche" number presented by Vitaly Tikhonov Juggler Jan Poldi on monocycle.

Photos by Yuri by Kovsky

WHAT'S ON!

May 8-10 Ziv, "Messieurs Ariiss Ilyin, "Comrade Lyubr Loews, "My Fair Last".

_THEATRES__

Kremlin Palace of Congresses. 8—Adam, "Giselle", hallet performed by the Bolahol Theatre.
9, 10—Concerts by the Moiseyev Ensemble of Folk Dance of the USSR,

Bolshol Theatre (Sverdiov Sq). (mat)-Concert by young Bolshot soloists; 8 (eve)—Khrennikov, "Love for Love" (ballet).
9 (mat)—Molchanov, "Dawns
Here Are Quiet" (opera): 9 (eve)—Eshpai, "The Angera"

Stanislavsky and NemtrovichDauchenko Musical Theatre (17
Pushkinskaya St), 8—Doublebill: Tchalkovsky, "Tolanthe"
(opera): Tchalkovsky, "Francesca da Rimini(" (ballet).
9 (mat)—Tchalkovsky, "Iolanthe" (opera): 9 (eve)—Doublebill: Strauss, "Strausslana"; Khachaturian, "Gayane" (ballets).
10—Tchalkovsky, "Tile Snow
Maldan" (ballet).

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EXHIBITIONS _

Lenin Contral Stadium. 9 — USSR Cup final. Moscow Torpa-do v Kiev Dynamo. 3 p.m. TRACK AND FIELD

Exhibition Hall. Joint Com-area of Drawing Artists (28 Viets Gruzinskaya St). Over Opinings and drawings by starlists and outstanding istar of Soviet military photo, for participants of World it il. are on view dedicated Victory Day. Daily, except control of the company of t so Krasnoprasnenskaya.

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CONCERT HALLS

Central Concert Hall (1 Mos-oretskaya Embankment, Ros-kis Hotel), 8 — Concert by the Policy Youth' variety pro-lange leaturing artists from

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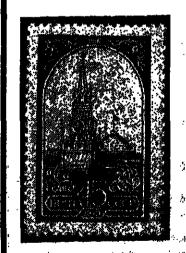
Palsca of Sport. Lenin Central Stadium, 10 — Moscow Dynamo v Central Army Club, 6.45 p.m. WEATHER

May 8-10

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ON A STAMP

The USSR Ministry of Communications has issued a 45kopsk postage stamp offeringsa view of the Moscow Kremlin. In the foreground is the Kremiin's Spassky Towar and in the back-ground is the doine of the build-ing housing the USSR Council, at Ministers. Then drawing is the according in an archad hame and graced by Russian ornaments.

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